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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**FOR THE DISTRICT OF WYOMING**

POWELL VALLEY HEALTH CARE,	)	
INC.,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
V.	)	Case No. 1:12-CV-00042-NDF
	)	
HEALTHTECH MANAGEMENT	)	
SERVICES, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendant/Crossclaimant,	)	
	)	
V.	)	
	)	
PAUL D. CARDWELL and MICHAEL	)	
PLAKE,	)	
	)	
Defendants/Crossclaimants.	)	

**JOINDER IN MOTION TO TEMPORARILY STAY PROCEEDINGS**

Paul D. Cardwell, by and through his lawyer Robert W. Horn, P. C., provides notice that he joins in the Motion to Temporarily Stay Proceedings filed by Michael Plake. The interest of Paul D. Cardwell and Michael Plake are the same in regard to the choice between his capacity to defend the claims expressed in this lawsuit and waiver of his Fifth Amendment privilege against

self-incrimination. The discussion provided by Michael Plake in his motion and the authorities cited are apt. Those authorities are incorporated in this Joinder in Motion to Temporarily Stay Proceedings.

Paul D. Cardwell has discussed his Joinder in Motion to Temporarily Stay Proceedings with the lawyers for the other parties in this lawsuit: Tracy Copenhaver for Powell Valley Health Care, Inc.; Joanna Vilos for HeathTech Management Services, Inc.; and, Michael Resse for Michael Plake. Tracy Copenhaver and Joann Vilos are not in agreement with the stay but they have been advised of the course of action chosen by Paul D. Cardwell and the reasons underlying that choice.

Dated July 18, 2012.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This certifies that on July 18, 2012, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by placing a copy in the U. S. mail, postage prepaid and appropriately addressed as follows or sent by telefax as indicated below.

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